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In re application of:
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AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

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Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated **December 21, 2005**, Applicants submit the following Amendment and Remarks on or before the extended due date of **April 21, 2005**. A constructive petition under 1.136 (a)(3) for a one-month extension of time and the requisite fee in the amount \$60.00 under 1.17 (a)(3) is authorized to be charged to **Deposit Account No. 08-3038**, with a reference to **Docket No. 05796.0008.NPUS00**.

It is believed that no other fee is due at this time, however, should any fee be required for any reason related to this amendment, the Commissioner is authorized to charge said fee to **Deposit Account No. 08-3038**, with a reference to **Docket No. 05796.0008.NPUS00**.

Applicants request amendment of this application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 to place the application in condition for allowance or in better form for appeal.

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PATENT APPLICATION FEE DETERMINATION RECORD					Application or Docket Number 10052907		
CLAIMS AS FILED - PART I							
(Column 1)		(Column 2)			SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
FOR	NUMBER FILED	NUMBER EXTRA		RATE	FEE		
BASIC FEE <small>(37 CFR 1.144(c))</small>					\$ 370	OR	
TOTAL CLAIMS <small>(37 CFR 1.192)</small>	163	minus 20 =	143	x \$	1287	OR	
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS <small>(37 CFR 1.140)</small>	4	minus 3 =	1	x	42	OR	
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM PRESENT <small>(37 CFR 1.146(d))</small>				+	140	OR	
				TOTAL		OR TOTAL	
* If the difference in column 1 is less than zero, enter "0" in column 2.							
CLAIMS AS AMENDED - PART II							
(Column 1)		(Column 2)			SMALL ENTITY OR OTHER THAN SMALL ENTITY		
AMENDMENT A	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	Total <small>(37 CFR 1.144(c))</small>	131	Minus	163	x \$	0	OR
	Independent <small>(37 CFR 1.140)</small>	3	Minus		x	0	OR
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <small>(37 CFR 1.146(d))</small>				+		OR
					TOTAL		OR TOTAL
* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.							
AMENDMENT B	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	Total <small>(37 CFR 1.144(c))</small>	64	Minus	163	x \$		OR
	Independent <small>(37 CFR 1.140)</small>	1	Minus	4	x		OR
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <small>(37 CFR 1.146(d))</small>				+		OR
					TOTAL		OR TOTAL
* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.							
AMENDMENT C	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
	Total <small>(37 CFR 1.144(c))</small>		Minus		x \$		OR
	Independent <small>(37 CFR 1.140)</small>		Minus		x		OR
	FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIM <small>(37 CFR 1.146(d))</small>				+		OR
					TOTAL		OR TOTAL
* If the entry in column 1 is less than the entry in column 2, write "0" in column 3.							

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